

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)
	10/717,166	KROETSCH ET AL.
	Examiner	Art Unit
	Sarang Afzali	3726

All Participants:

Status of Application: Pending

(1) Sarang Afzali. (3) _____.

(2) Patrick M. Griffin. (4) _____.

Date of Interview: 7 August 2006

Time: 10:00 AM

Type of Interview:

Telephonic
 Video Conference
 Personal (Copy given to: Applicant Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: Yes No

If Yes, provide a brief description: .

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

No

Claims discussed:

1 and 2

Prior art documents discussed:

No

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

See Continuation Sheet

Part III.

It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.

It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.



(Examiner/SPE Signature)

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: Presented Mr. Griffin with the examiner's amendment suggesting minor changes to claim 1 to overcome a lack of antecedent basis, cancelling of non-essential claim 2 and change of title and abstract to be in line with the method claim, in order to put the application in condition for allowance.